

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. **S368**

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TO:	The Honorable Hugh Leatherman, Chairman, Senate Finance Committee		
FROM:	Office of State Budget, Budget and Control Board		
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AUTHOR:	Senator Leatherman	PRIMARY CODE CITE:	11-35-3215
SUBJECT:	State Procurement Process		

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:

Minimal (Some additional costs expected but can be absorbed)

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON FEDERAL & OTHER FUND EXPENDITURES:

Minimal (Some additional costs expected but can be absorbed)

BILL SUMMARY:

The proposed Bill adds Section 11-35-3215 to the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, so as to provide a preference in the state procurement process for resident design professional and to define "design services and "resident" for this purpose.

EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:

A review of this Bill indicates agencies may incur minimal costs which can be absorbed within existing resources for creating a form for vendors to use in complying as well as informing agencies and vendors regarding the statute.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:

None.

SPECIAL NOTES:

None.

Approved by:



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